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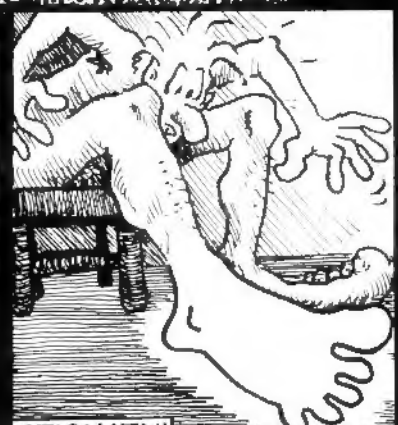

STIGMATA!!

THE WORD-SOUND KEY TO UNIVERSAL KNOWLEDGE IS DISCOVERED, THEN FORGOTTEN!

LOVE AND SEASONAL CHANGE ARE CELEBRATED IN AN UNUSUAL OUTDOOR SETTING.

A TINY MOLD CULTURE DISPLAYS STRANGE QUALITIES OF TIMELESSNESS. **ENDLESSLY FASCINATING!**

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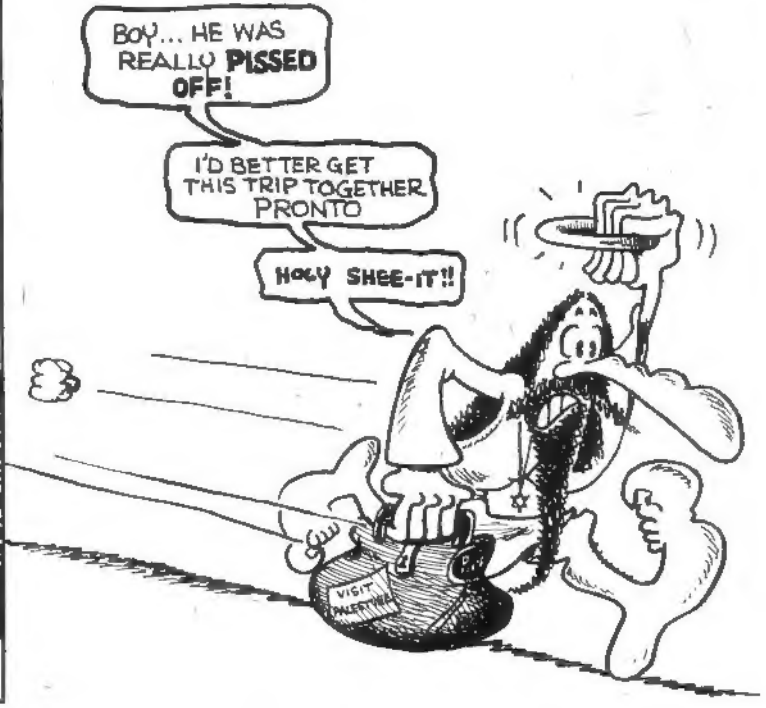
ALL GOD COMIX



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LESSEE... I'LL NEED A HARDCORE BASE OF DEDICATED FOLLOWERS JUST TO GET THIS NUMBER OFF THE GROUND...
AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL ONLY
THEY'LL HAFTA BE UNQUESTIONINGLY LOYAL, INTENSELY SPIRITUAL, AND HIGHLY MOTIVATED...
PLUS, OF COURSE, GULLIBLE + STUPID
I GOT IT!
ALL THOSE FLIPPED-OUT FLOWER FREAKS!
I'LL START AT HIPPIE HILL IN SAN FRANCISCO!
GOTCHA!!
YOUR PUNY WILL CAN NEVER RESIST THE TRANSCENDENT POWER OF COSMIC LOVE!!!
SO! YOU DARE TRY YOUR SICK MIND GAMES ON THE ONE TRUE SAVIOUR OF MAN?!?
HEH HEH HEH HEH HEH!!! LITTLE DO THEY REALIZE THAT!... AND I ALONE... AM THE ONE TRUE GOD!!!
MOAN
TIM
PWANG
GAAA
THE FOOLS!! HEH, HEH, HEH!
CHOKE!
OI VEY!
I AM THE LIGHT AND THE WAY!!
THE FUCK YOU ARE, JACK...
GASP.

MAN... THEY JUST DON'T MAKE FALSE PROPHETS LIKE THEY USTA!!
GRUNT GRUNT
PUFF PUFF
PANT PANT
I'M GOD, 'N I GET ALL TH' CHICKS
US!
NO, US
NO, I DO. ME ME
GRUNT GRUNT
STILL... MAYBE I'D BETTER JUST BE OPEN-MINDED ABOUT ALL THIS...
AFTER ALL, WHO AM I TO JUDGE?
BESIDES... HERE COMES A FINE LOOKIN' LITTLE PROSPECT FOR SALVATION...
OH WELL... BACK TO WORK...
AHEM!!
REPENT, MY CHILD, FOR THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN IS AT HAND!!
HUH???
ZIT ZIT
GRRRRR
AND FURTHERMORE, I AM THE LIGHT AND THE WAY AN' GET ALL THE... UH CHICKS N' EVERYTHING... UH... AND NOT THOSE... UH... OTHER GUYS... AND... UH... AND...
?
SAY... HOW COME YOU NEVER STOP GRINNING???

BECAUSE I AM A TRAINED SMARTOLOGIST, OF COURSE...

HAVE YOU HEARD OF SMARTOLOGY??

WHY ARE YOU SO HOSTILE???

ER...NO...YES... YOU ARE? I MEAN, I AM??

HERE! STOP BEING AN EVIL PERSON... READ OUR LITERATURE.

CAN'T YOU RELATE TO PEOPLE?

YOU MUST HAVE SEX PROBLEMS.

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ER...UH... I AM?? ER... I DO? BUT... BUT I DONT HAVE ANY MONEY... UH... DUH... BLUH...

WE WONT WORRY ABOUT THAT NOW... THE IMPORTANT THING IS TO GET YOU TO A SMARTOLOGY PROCESSING PLANT SO YOU CAN GET OUT OF THAT RIDICULOUS COSTUME AND GET STARTED UP THE 334 EASY PSYCHIC LEVELS LEADING TO THE A-- KNOWING IDEAL STATE OF ZEROTHINK!!!

MEANWHILE, WE'LL START YOU OFF CLEANING URINALS...

REALLY? GEE, SWELL!! WONDERFUL!! ... EXCELLENT!!!

UH.. DUH..

FUNNY... I'M NOT SURE I FEEL ANY SMARTER...

YIPES! I'D BETTER WATCH THAT THINKING OR I'LL SLIP BACK TO LEVEL 32!!!

WHAT WILL THE BOSS SAY??

OH, WELL...

AJAX

RALPH RUCK

UH... YES GOTTA... NN... GGG UH... GOTTA... NNN... LESSEE...

!! WHATANHELL, WHATANHELL !! NNNNN NFFFF WHATINA HELL??... ... ZZZZZ ?!-WHAT WUZZIT??...!!

...GODDAM MUTHAFUCKIN' SONOVABITCHIN.....!!

GNNNH GRONT

(UNGH!!)

WHOOOCEEE

GOTTA STAY OFFA THESE REDS...

JOE SCHMOE

WHAT DOES HE KNOW...

RIGHT (BOB) WHADDO I KNOW? NOTHIN' THAT'S WHAT.

BIG FAT STINKIN' ZERO ...(SNIF)

NO... WAIT... I GOT AN IDEA...

HARRY KIRSCHNER
♪ HARRY KIRSCHNER HARRY KIRSHNA HAIRY KRISNA HARRY HARRY ♪
A GOOD KID, BASICALLY... BUT, WHAT'S THIS STRANGE EGO-TRIP HE'S ALWAYS ON??
FREE ALL LOONIES!
VOTE THE MAN... VOTE SCMUCK
EAT PUSSY
HARRY KIRSCHNER HARRY HARRY HARRY HARRY
BLAH
BOOZ
SHUT.
HARRY HARRY
HARRY KIRSCHNER
SCUM
HARRY HARRY
HARRY
SICK
TIME
GEEK OUT
BOREDOM
DESCENDS TO SLIME
EAT PUSSY
HARRY
HARRY HARRY
FUCK YOU
EAT PUSSY NOW!
MURDER THE POLICE
HARRY HARRY
URP
- WILLY MURRAY -

ARNOLD PECK
THE HUMAN WRECK
"A UNIQUELY COMPLETE EXPERIENCE..."
CINZA
LISTEN HERE, PACKY. THE PRESIDENT'S MOTORCADE IS SUPPOSED TO PASS BY THIS CAFE! "SPOKESMEN CHARACTERIZED TODAYS VISIT AS A GOODWILL MISSION..."
I JUST WANT TO KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TO THEM BEERS WE ORDERED...
INQUISITOR
AH! THEY APPEAR TO HAVE BEEFED UP SECURITY THIS TRIP. WELL...YOU JUST CAN'T BE TOO CAREFUL...
NZANO
SPOW SPOW
AMAZING! I SEE WHERE JIMMY CONNORS LOST AGAIN.
BOY, WHAT A CLOSE SHAVE! THANK GOD THE PRESIDENT WAS ONLY HIT IN THE HEAD, AND NOT SOME VITAL AREA...
ALL RIGHT...SECRET SERVICE...EVERYBODY WHO TRIED TO KILL THE PRESIDENT OVER HERE RAISE YOUR RIGHT HAND!
SPORTS
NZANO
WAIT! I REPRESENT THE PUBLISHING FIRM OF DIMLAP & DUMWIT!
SIR, AS AN ALLEGED ASSASSIN, COULD YOU GIVE US YOUR VIEWS ON THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY CRISIS?
WHAT ABOUT THE ROLE OF EMERGING THIRD WORLD NATIONS?
CITY
PO

ZANO
CI
COMMUNIQUE 6053N-2118 OF THE COMPLETELY UNHINGED LIBERATION FRONT. ① GREETINGS AND PROFOUND REVOLUTIONARY LOVE TO THE PEOPLES FORCES IN BERKELEY, CAMBRIDGE, SAN QUENTIN ... MADISON, WISCONSIN ... ②...
NYA NYA NYA NYA NYA!
SPOOM!!
COMRADE VICE ADMIRAL PRIME MINISTER! A TERRIBLE MISTAKE! THE PRESIDENT'S CAR PASSED HERE TEN MINUTES AGO!
WHAT A HIDEOUS TACTICAL BLUNDER! NOW WE PROBABLY WONT EVEN MAKE NETWORK NEWS!
SMACK!
FBI!
CIA!
WALLACE B. WALLACE, CBC NEWS
DEATH TO THE FASCIST AZTECS WHO..... UNHH!?
CLEAN UP THE ENVIRONMENT!!
POLICE
AH! THANK YOU! INCIDENTALLY, I THINK YOU'RE DOING A TERRIFIC JOB UNDER EXTREMELY TRYING CIRCUMSTANCES...
PROFESSOR MUNCHBOTTOM, RECENT EVENTS HAVE RAISED THIS BASIC QUESTION: 'ARE PEOPLE IN OUR SOCIETY NUTTIER THAN THEY ARE IN OTHER PLACES?'
I SEE NO CAUSE FOR CONCERN. SCIENCE HAS DISCOVERED THAT THERE ARE CRAZY PEOPLE NEARLY EVERYWHERE...
MY CLIENTS CANNOT POSSIBLY GET A FAIR TRIAL! EVERYBODY SAW THEM DO IT ON TV!!
SPAM SPAM SPAM
IGNORE ALIEN ORDERS
CITY
PO
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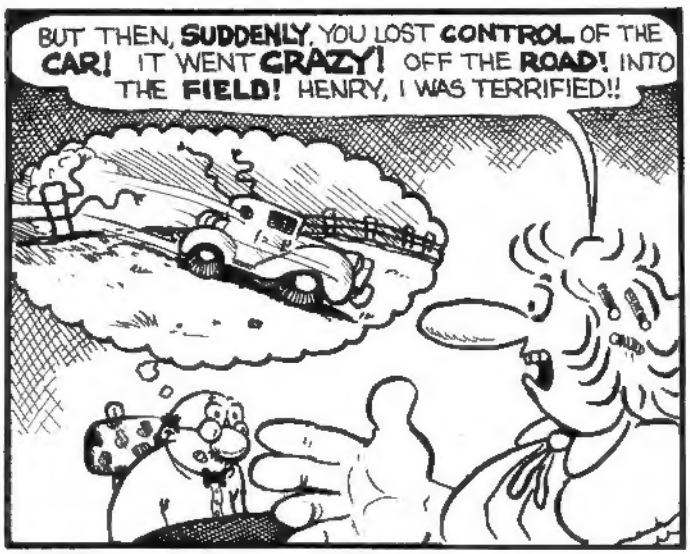
HENRY HENPECK

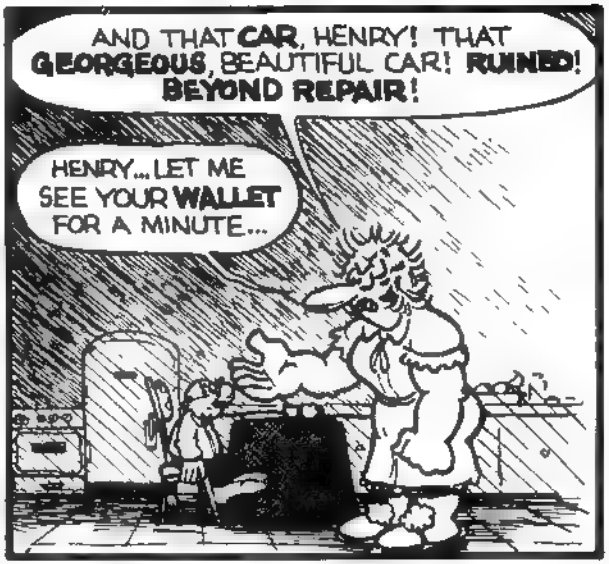
"KING OF THE ROAD"



WHAT A STORY!
HA HA HA HA HA!!
HA HA HA HA!!

AND DO YOU KNOW HENRY, ALL THAT TIME... THAT ENTIRE TIME, I KEPT STANDING THERE... HELPLESS... YELLING TO YOU... "HENRY, YOU'RE GOING TOO FAST." "SLOW DOWN HENRY, PLEASE!"

BUT WOULD YOU PAY ANY ATTENTION? NO! THERE YOU WENT INSTEAD... LIKE SOME IRRESPONSIBLE FOOL! LIKE... LIKE SOME CRAZY MAN!!


AND THAT CAR, HENRY! THAT GEORGEOUS, BEAUTIFUL CAR! RUINED! BEYOND REPAIR!
HENRY... LET ME SEE YOUR WALLET FOR A MINUTE...

NO!
HENRY, YOU'VE BEEN GOING TOO FAST FOR TOO LONG...
RIP!

YOU'RE NOT WORKIN' TODAY HENRY?
WIFE BACKED THE CAR INTO A GODDAM TREE, EDDIE! WHAT A MESS! I WON'T BE ABLE TO DRIVE FOR MONTHS!
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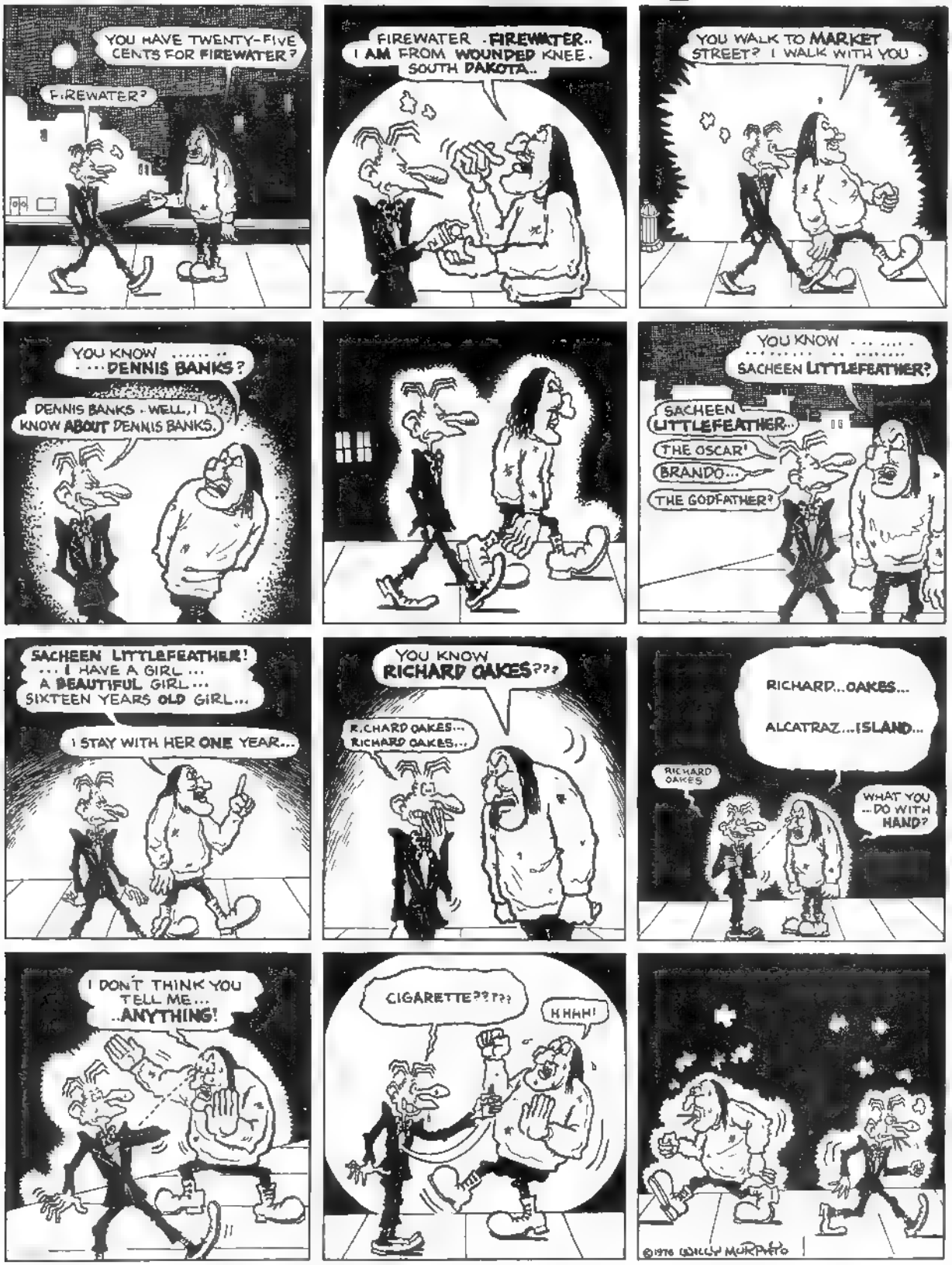
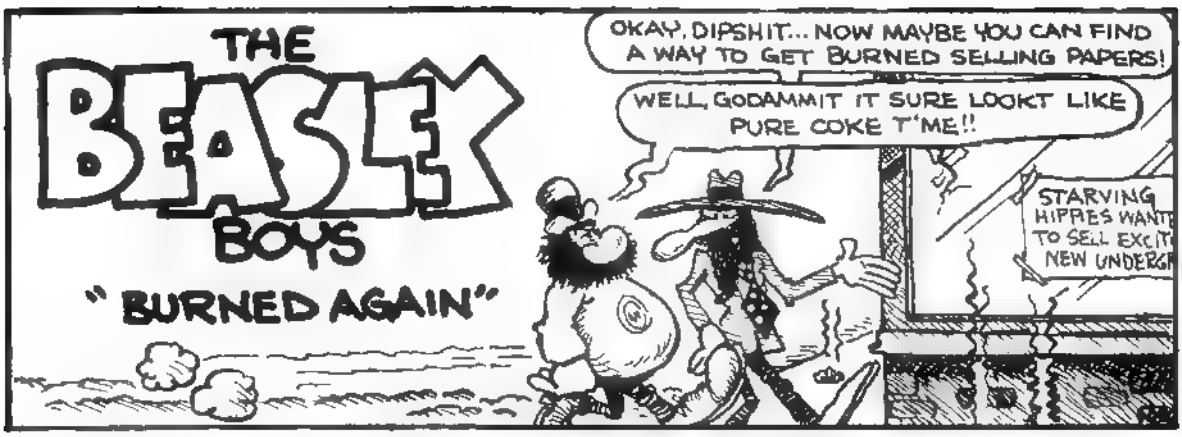
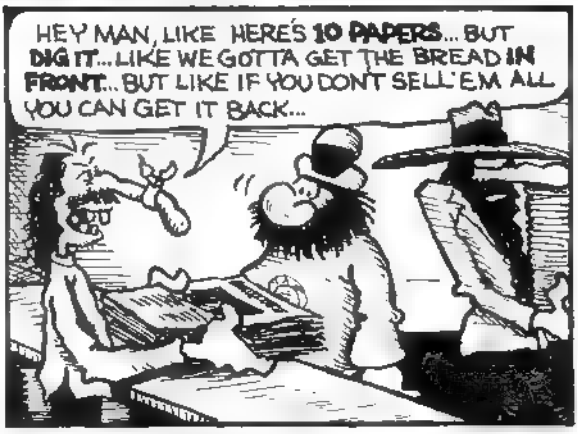
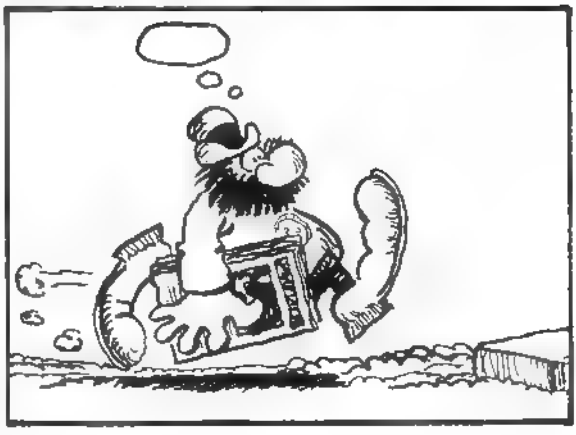


THE BEASLEY BOYS

"BURNED AGAIN"





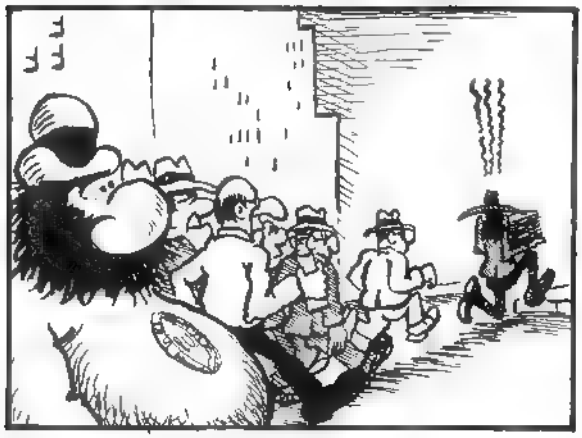


ONE MOMENT, FOLKS...ONE MOMENT PLEASE THERE ARE STILL PLENTY OF PAPERS LEFT. EVERYONE WHO IS WAITING WILL GET ONE!!

OK, NOW WHAT?
LOOK! THIS IS THE LAST GODDAM TIME YOU'RE GONNA FUCK ME OVER LIKE THIS!

YOU GRABBED THE GOOD SIDE OF THE STREET! HARDLY NOBODY EVER WALKS OVER THERE!!

OH, JESUS H. CHRIST...



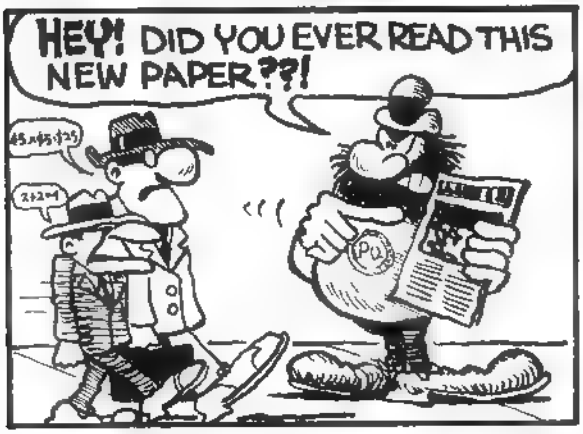
OK FOLKS, SORRY FOR THE INTERRUPTION... NOW, WHO WAS NEXT?... RIGHT... 25¢... THANKS

OK, I GIVE UP. WHADDA I GOTTA DO?

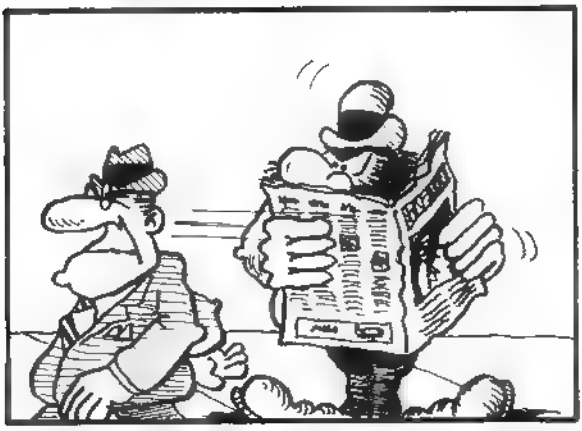
WELL, FIRST OF ALL, LOOK AT YOU! WHO'D WANNA BUY A PAPER FROM A FAT SLOB ANYWAY?
WELL YOU AIN'T EXACTLY 1ST PRIZE..

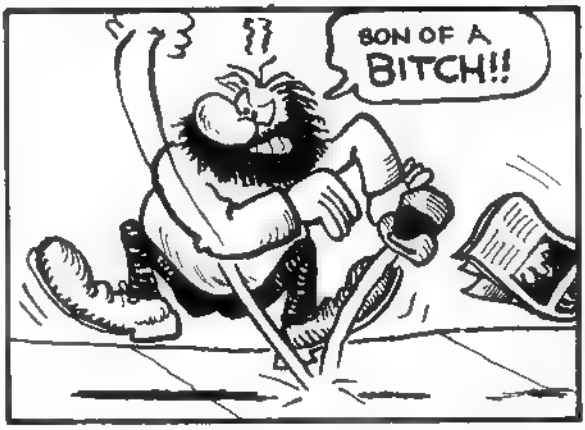
HEY MAN...WHAT'S HAPPENING? SAY LOOK, WOULD YA WANNA BUY AN ISSUE OF THIS NEW... UH...

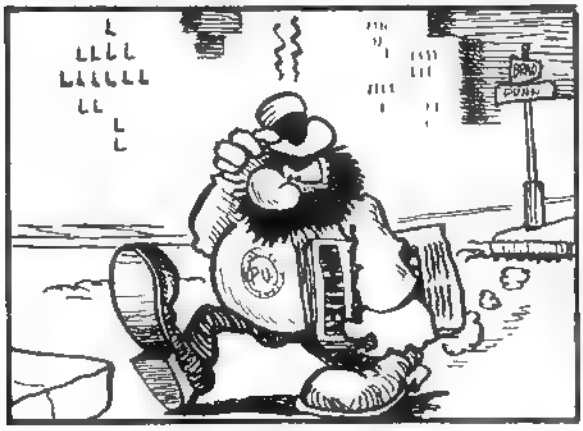
I BEG YOUR PARDON SIR ... COULD I TROUBLE YOU TO TAKE A LOOK AT THIS... UM... NEW... UH...

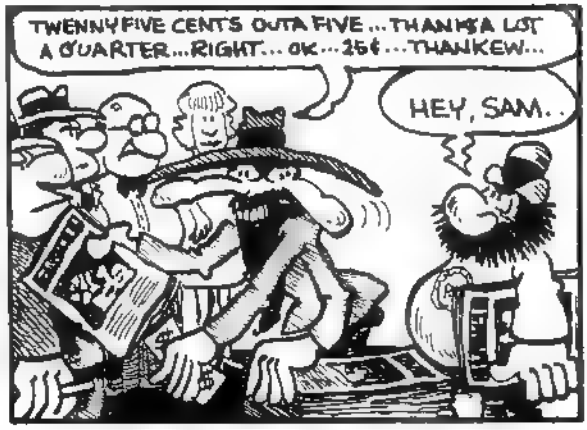

HEY! DID YOU EVER READ THIS NEW PAPER??!

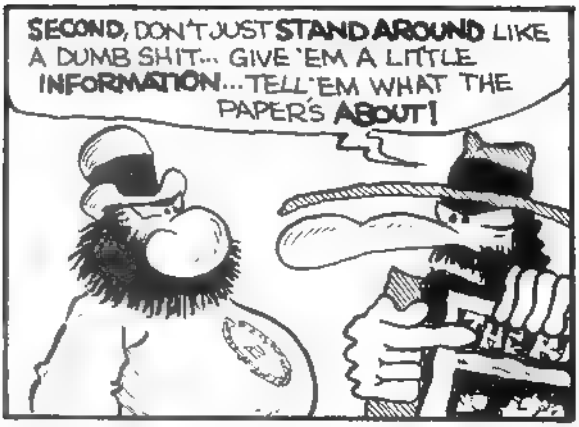
WOW!!! CHECK OUT ALL THESE TERRIFIC FILTHY SEX PICTURES IN THE BACK OF THIS NEAT NEW HIPPIE PAPER!!

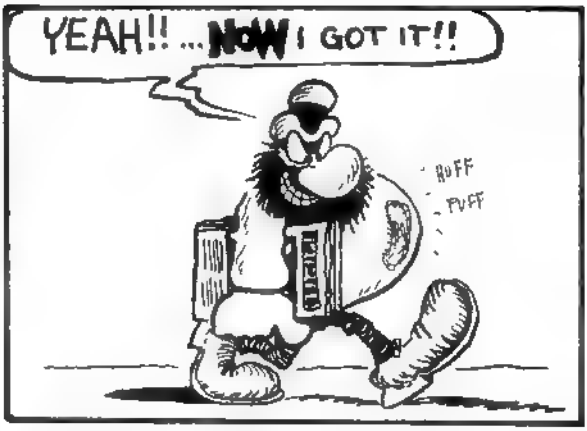


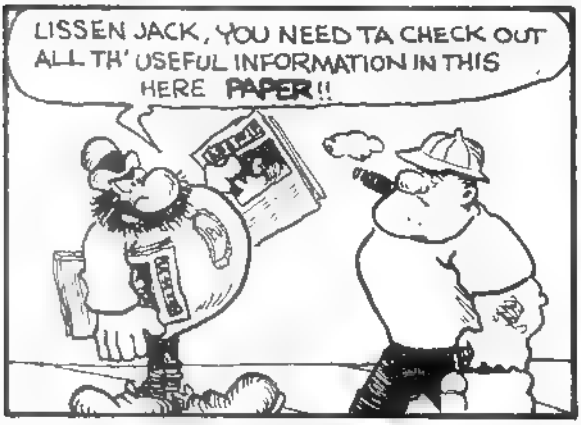

SON OF A BITCH!!




TWENNY FIVE CENTS OUTA FIVE ... THANKS A LOT A QUARTER... RIGHT... OK... 25¢... THANKEW...
HEY, SAM..


SECOND, DON'T JUST STAND AROUND LIKE A DUMB SHIT... GIVE 'EM A LITTLE INFORMATION... TELL 'EM WHAT THE PAPER'S ABOUT!

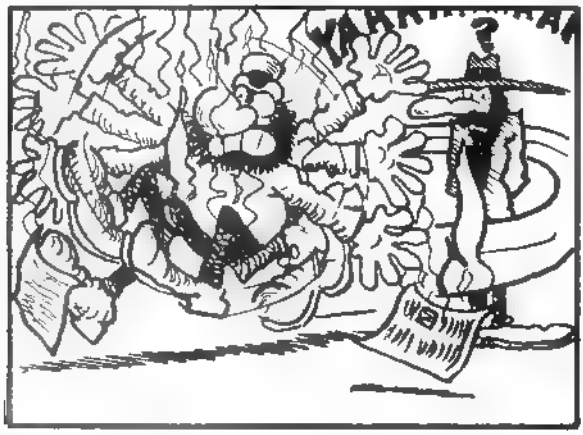

YEAH!! ... NOW I GOT IT!!
HUFF
PUFF


LISSEN JACK, YOU NEED TA CHECK OUT ALL TH' USEFUL INFORMATION IN THIS HERE PAPER!!

LISSEN T' THIS FER INSTANCE: "PIGS BEAT 3 BROTHERS IN CAMPUS DEMO" WHY THOSE ROTTEN SONZABITCHES!!
NO KIDDIN'?

YEAH! AN 4 MORE DOPE BUSTS TOO! THOSE SWINE!
MY GRACIOUS! HOW LONG WILL THE PEOPLE PERMIT THESE TERRIBLE ATROCITIES TO CONTINUE?

SNIF


YAHHHHHHHA

OK MAN... LIKE THAT'LL BE $1 FOR THE PAPERS AND YOU OWE US ANOTHER $5.80 TO RE-CYCLE 'EM!

FEE FI FO FUM

SLASH SLOSH!

HEY, HEY, HEY! HOW'RE DOIN' JACK? CHARMIN' LITTLE JOINT YOU GUYS GOT HERE! WEATHER ALWAYS LIKE THIS?

ER... UH... A LOTTA TIMES

YEAH? WELL, I JUS'GOT IN FROM CHICAGAH! YA WOODEN BELIEVE TH' WEATHER... SAY... UH... YA WANNA MAKE A LITTLE ROOM?

THANKS... SAY, CHICAGAH'S A GREAT TOWN... GREAT! BUT, WELL, IT'S GOT A LOTTA "PROBLEMS" TOO. WE BOTH KNOW WHAT I'M TALKIN' ABOUT, RIGHT?

STILL... NO DENYIN' WE GOT TH' KNOWHOW OUT THERE! YOU TREAT US RIGHT, WE COULD REALLY DO A LOT FOR THIS LITTLE BURG... CATCH MY MEANING?

YESSIR... REAL NICE PLACE... DO A LOT WITH IT... HEY LISSEN, YOU GONNA SHOVE OVER OR WHAT?

WELL... ER...!

Y'KNOW JACK... I DON'T THINK YOU GOT A VERY CO-OPERATIVE ATTITUDE!!!

GLOMPH!

CHEW CRUNCH CRACK

BELCH!

YAWN!

HEY, SIS—AIN'T YOU BEEN SITTIN' AROUND LONG ENOUGH? GOTTA GIVE OTHER PEOPLE A CHANCE ONCE IN A WHILE, Y'KNOW...

HMMM!! NOT A BAD VIEW... NOT A BAD VIEW...

SHELLY MURPHY

IT'S THOSE TIRED FEET AGAIN...

OOG!

WHASAH BOOST

WHEW! I COULD DIG IT!

SHINE 254

SHINE 254

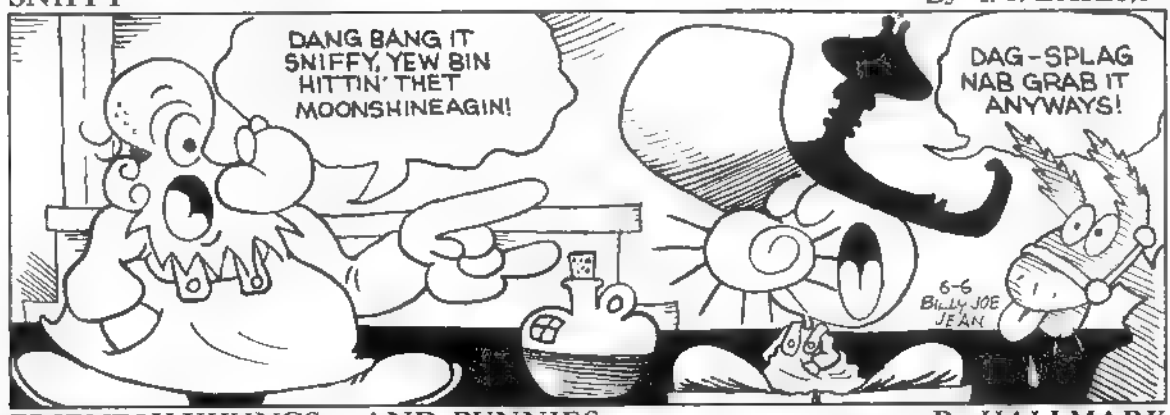
OOF!

DUNNO SHIT FROM SHINOLA!

BLIMEY BROOMSTEAD By AL CAPP

SLOWBOY By THE POWERS VESTED IN ME

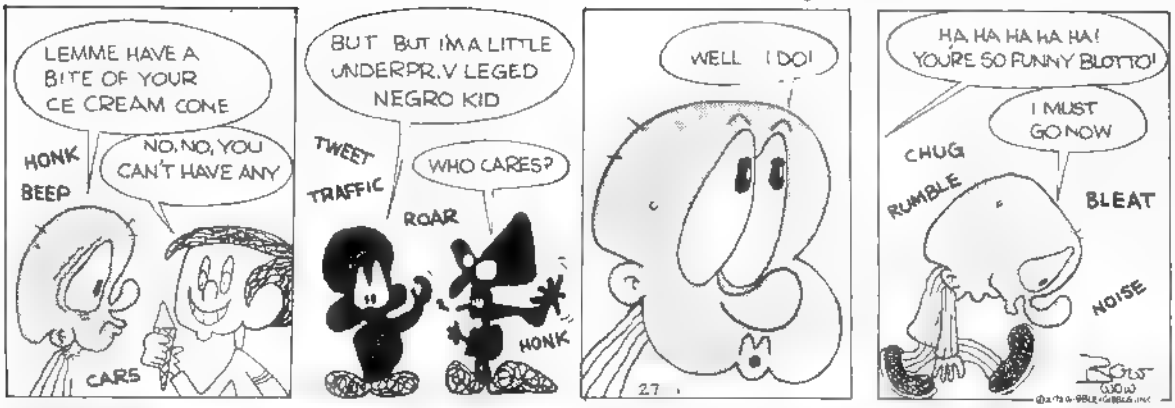
SNIFFY By I. P. DAILY, Jr.



FRIENDLY VIKINGS AND BUNNIES By HALLMARK

BLOTTO

By MUMFORD RUMFORD



ZIG-ZAG

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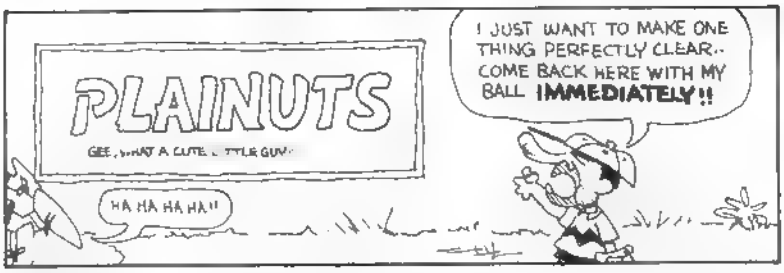
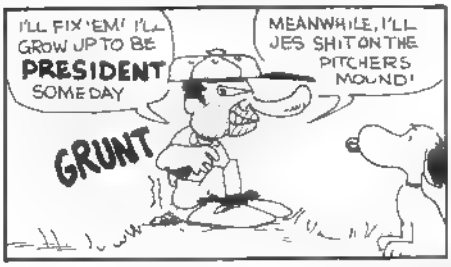
MISCHIEF

By CRACKY





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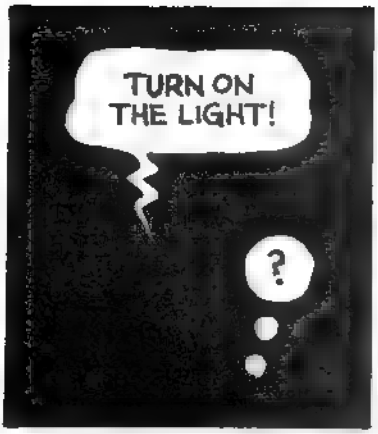
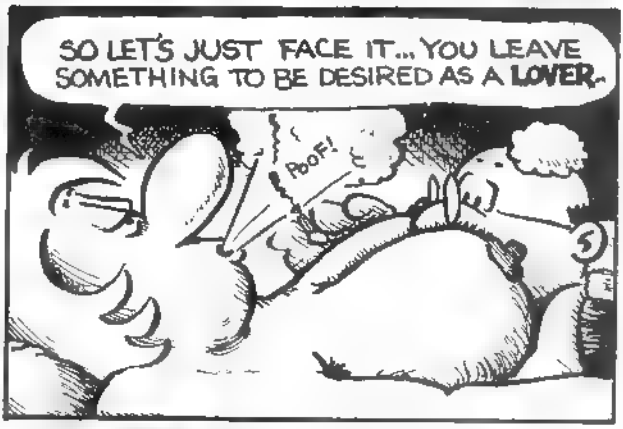
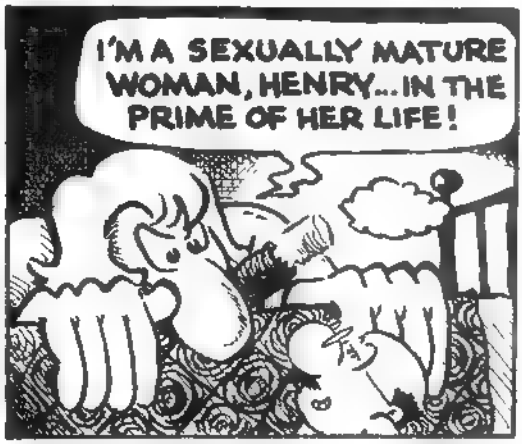
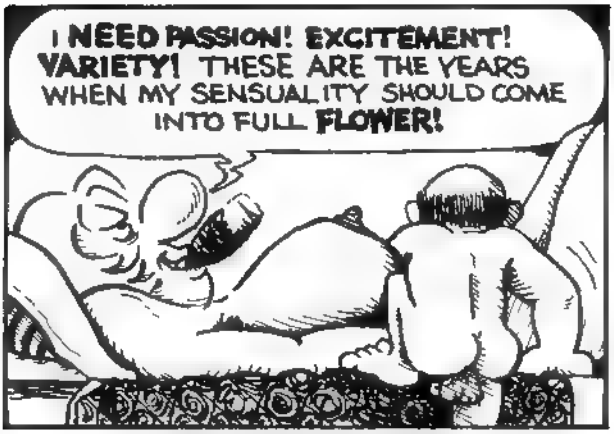






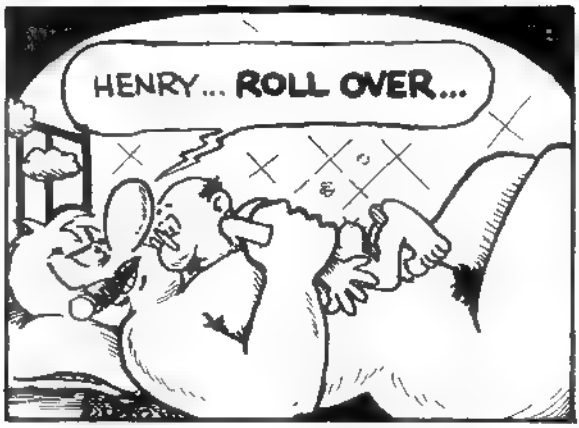

I NEED PASSION! EXCITEMENT! VARIETY! THESE ARE THE YEARS WHEN MY SENSUALITY SHOULD COME INTO FULL FLOWER!

AND WHAT DO I GET? HUH?... YOU TELL ME!

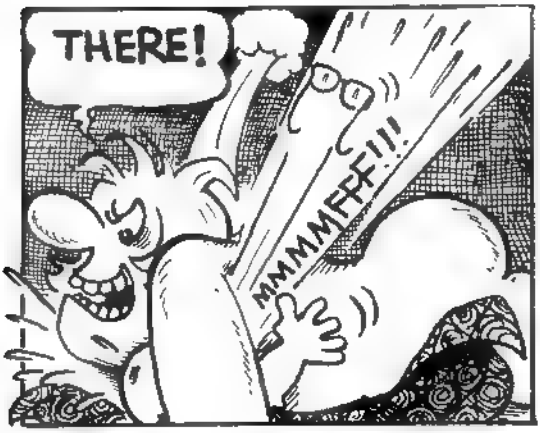
I'LL TELL YOU WHAT I GET!!

I GET SIXTEEN YEARS OF DULL, UNIMAGINATIVE HUNCHING, HENRY!

SIXTEEN YEARS OF LYING HERE LIKE A RECEPTACLE WHILE YOU SATISFY YOUR SELFISH DESIRES!!


HENRY... ROLL OVER...

THERE! WAIT A MINUTE... WAIT A MINUTE...
ER...

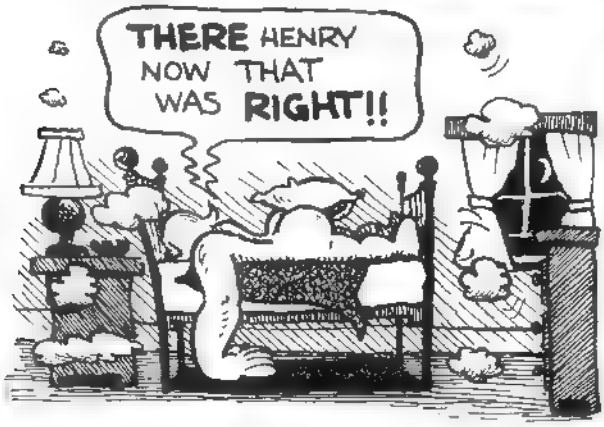

THERE!
MMMMFFF!!!

UNH! UNH! UNH! UNH!

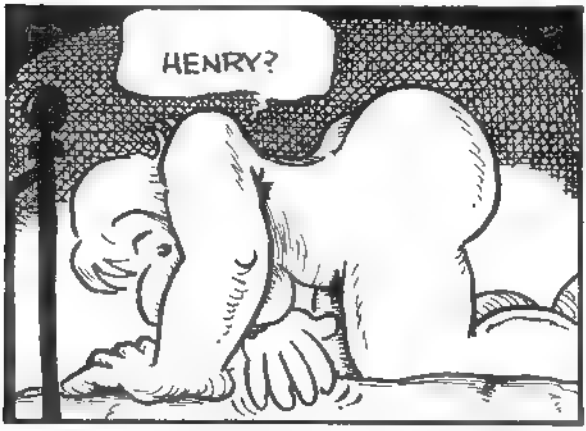
OH OH OH OHH OHH

AAAH! AAAHH! AAAAH!!
OOOO
OHHHHNNN!!!

SMASH
ZIP


THERE HENRY NOW THAT WAS RIGHT!!

IF ONLY MORE OFTEN, YOUD...UH...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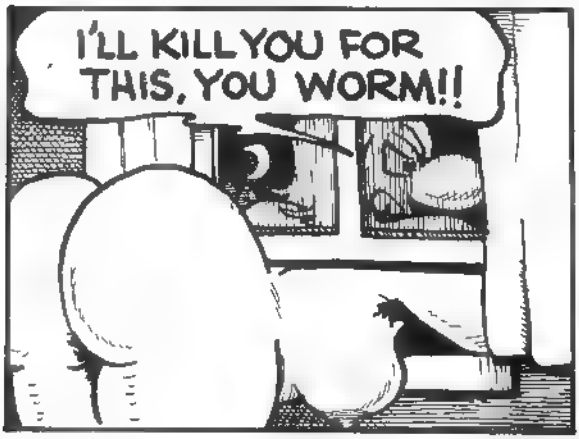
HENRY!


I'LL KILL YOU FOR THIS, YOU WORM!!

AS A BOY IN CHICAGO, I ONCE MET THE NOTED MAGICIAN, BLACKSTONE... WELL, SIR, HE SEZ T' ME..."HENRY"...
EEME BUYA A DRINK, HENRY!
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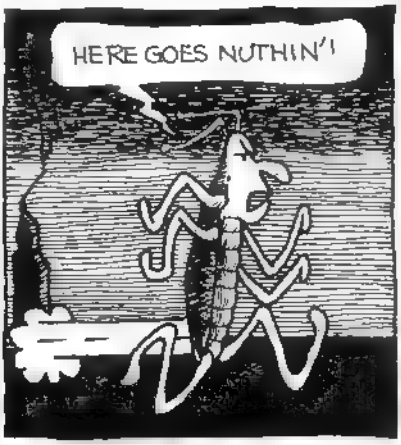
MELODY HOUSE
OKAY, LEROY, HERE'S YER CHANCE!

I CANNOT OVERESTIMATE THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS!!
RIGHT!
10 STARVING COCKROACHES COULD LIVE FOR A MONTH ON JUST ONE OF THOSE COOKIES!!
RIGHT!!

EVERYTHING DEPENDS ON YOU! NOW, GET OUT THERE AND SNATCH THAT COOKIE!!
RIGHT!!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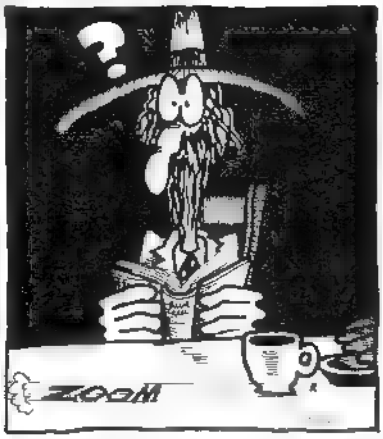
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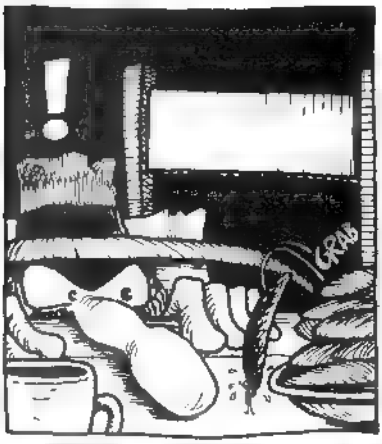
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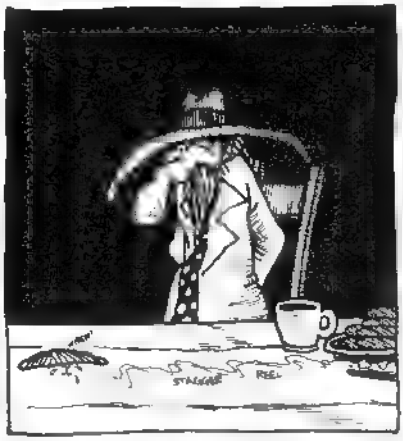
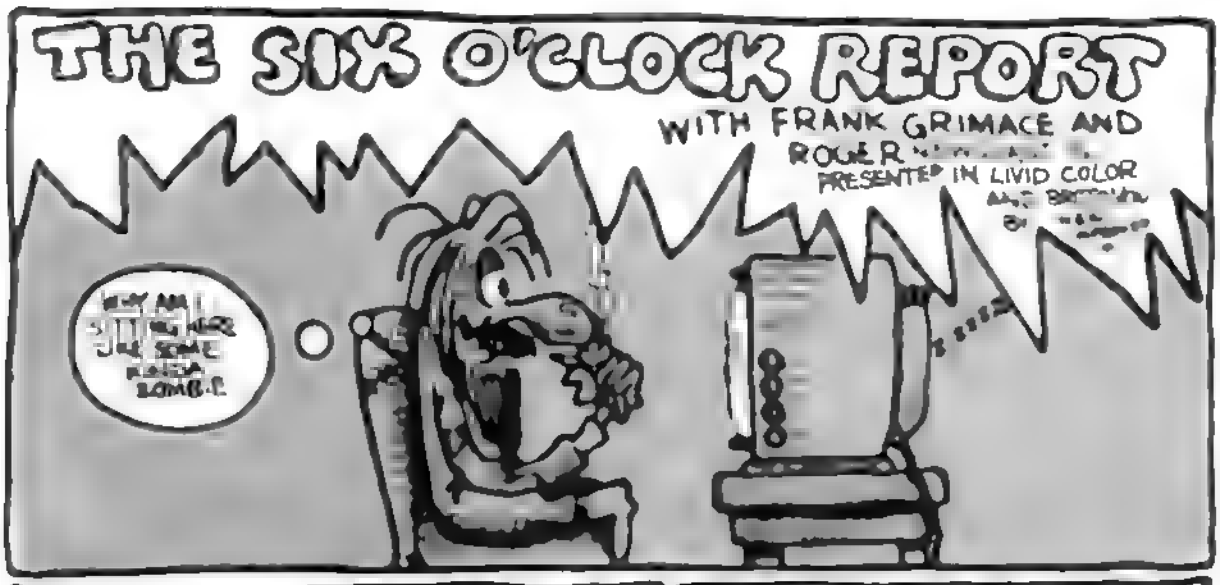


GODDAMIT THISIZ GETTIN' OUTA HAND!!
ZIP
BONK
DASH

WHIZ!
PLOP

RUB!
HHHHHH!!!

MUNCH
MUNCH

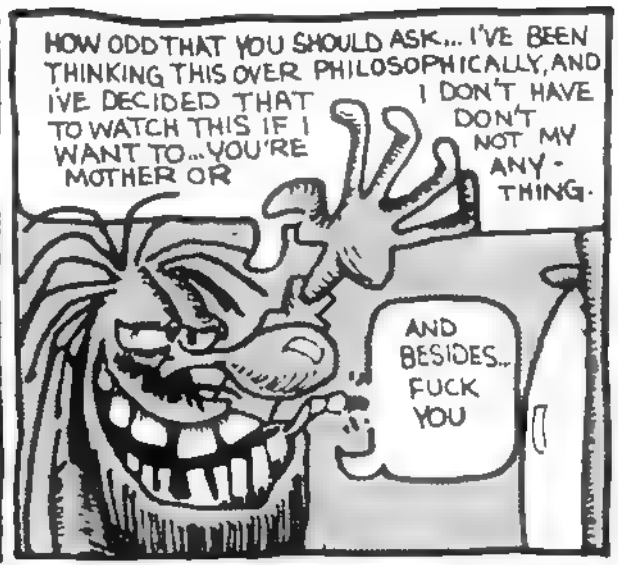

THE SIX O'CLOCK REPORT
WITH FRANK GRIMACE AND
PRESENTED IN LIVID COLOR

TOILET BOWLS. THE MAN ON
THE MAN ON THE
LAXATIVE "B" IN JUST

I'M
A MATURE
ADULT MALE

I'M CLEARIN'
OUTA THIS
DUMP!

HEY!



-WILLY MURPHY-

ARNOLD PECK

THE HUMAN WRECK

La SOCIÉTÉ du VIN

AH MR. PECK! YOU'RE A BIT LATE BUT OF COURSE WE WOULDN'T THINK OF STARTING WITHOUT YOU.

HARRY! SO GOOD TO SEE YOU AGAIN!

HMM! I THINK THIS ONE COMPARES FAVORABLY WITH THE GREAT PRE-WAR BURGUNDIES..

IT EVEN HAS SOME OF THE GREAT BREED AND RACINESS OF THE MAGNIFICENT 1911'S...

THE 1944 CLARETS WERE A DISAPPOINTING LOT CONFUSING, TOO LIKE SWANS AND DUCKS...

YES. BEWILDERING

1911? GOOD LORD, MAN, DO YOU REALIZE WHAT YOU'RE SAYING? MOST SERIOUS PALATES, MINE INCLUDED, DISMISS '11 AS INGRATIATING AT BEST!

I TAKE EXCEPTION! I HAVE A STRONG POSITION IN 1911 BURGUNDIES AND WOULD STAKE MY REPUTATION ON THAT VASTLY UNDERRATED VINTAGE

PERHAPS, THEN, YOU WOULD ACCEPT THE JUDGMENT OF OUR DISTINGUISHED GUEST, M. HENRI-HENRI, CELLARMASTER OF THE GREAT DOMAINE DE LA MISÉREE-ROCHAMBEAU?

M. HENRI-HENRI'S JUDGEMENT IS IMPECCABLE..

I SEEM TO REMEMBER 1911 AS A SPLENDID YEAR FOR PORT, HOWEVER

THANK YOU, MISHURE!

I REMEMBAR VERY WELL THAT VIN-TAJ! IN THE SPRING SUN SHINING.. BIRDS SINGING.. WAHS GREAT HOPE!! ANOTHER EIGHTEEN-O-SAVEN!

SAHM THEENK PERHAPS EVEN THE GRAPES WEEL REACH DOWN DEEP UPON THEIR ROOTS AND PRODUCE ANNUZZA R MIRI-CAL FEEFTEEN EIGHTY-NINE!!!

BOT' MARVELOUS 1589! JUST NCREDIBLE!!!

BUT GANTLEMAN THEES WAS NEVAIR TO BE!! SODDENLY THE HAILSTORM! EVERYTHING IS RUH-WAHN! THE GRAPES ARE DEFANSELESS!!

M SHURE ALL OF THE CÔTE DE ST LOUIS MAYONNAISE WAHS WIPED OUT IN 5 DAYS PARTS OF INGENUE... SWISSAIR EET WAS TRAGEEK. TRAGEEK, MISHURE!!!

DEVASTATING!

SO ALTHOUGH SAHM PERO PAIRTIES MADE GOOD WINE IN THAT YEAR... EET WOULD BE SAFE TO SAY I WOULD BE FORCE TO SAY THAT VIN-TAJ OF NINETEEN-ELEVAN WAS.. EH? POOF ...AVAIRAGE!

WELL... THERE ARE OTHER YEARS, OF COURSE. 1973 WAS QUITE LOVELY...

AVERAGE..

CRASH! TINKLE!

IT'S A SHAME, REALLY.. THE POOR MAN STAKED EVERYTHING ON THE OUTCOME...

WHAT AN NCREDIBLE FAUX PAS!!

THEES ONE IS THEEN AND BITTAIR LIKE THE MIZE-AIR..

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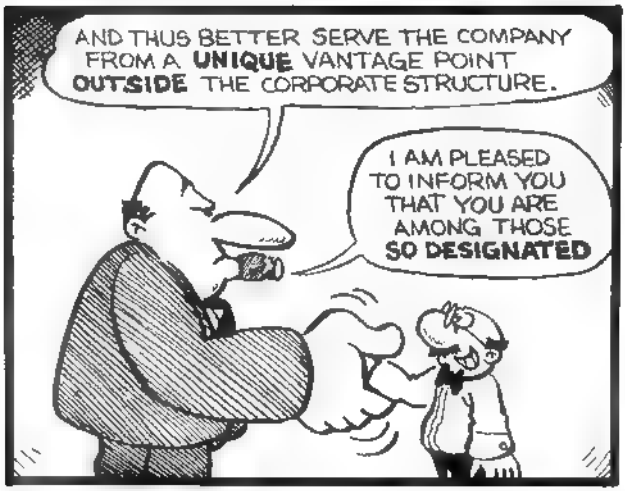
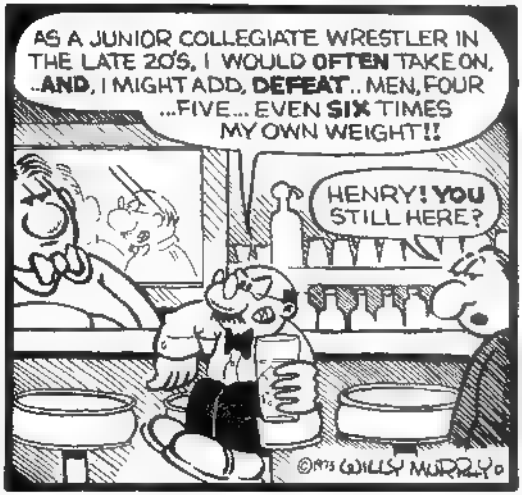
HENRY.. YOUR COMPANY DOES NOT INTEND TO STAND STILL! WE INTEND TO **RESPOND**. .AND RESPOND **STRONGLY** TO THIS GREAT **CHALLENGE!!**

WE **HAVE**, THEREFORE, FOCUSED OUR VAST RESOURCES UPON "**PROJECT VICTORY**" WHEREBY CERTAIN SELECT EMPLOYEES HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED BY MANAGEMENT TO RECEIVE TERMINAL LEAVES OF **ABSENCE**..


AND THUS BETTER SERVE THE COMPANY FROM A **UNIQUE** VANTAGE POINT **OUTSIDE** THE CORPORATE STRUCTURE.
I AM PLEASED TO INFORM YOU THAT YOU ARE AMONG THOSE **SO DESIGNATED**

IN **SHORT**, HENPECK...

YOU'RE FIRED!


AS A JUNIOR COLLEGIATE WRESTLER IN THE LATE 20'S, I WOULD **OFTEN** TAKE ON, ..**AND**, I MIGHT ADD, **DEFEAT**.. MEN, FOUR ...FIVE... EVEN **SIX** TIMES MY OWN WEIGHT!!
HENRY! **YOU** STILL HERE?
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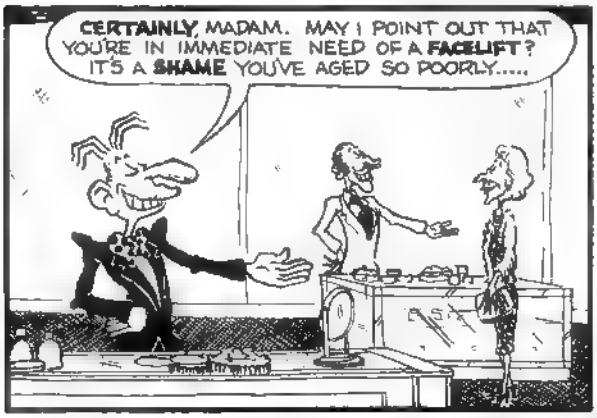
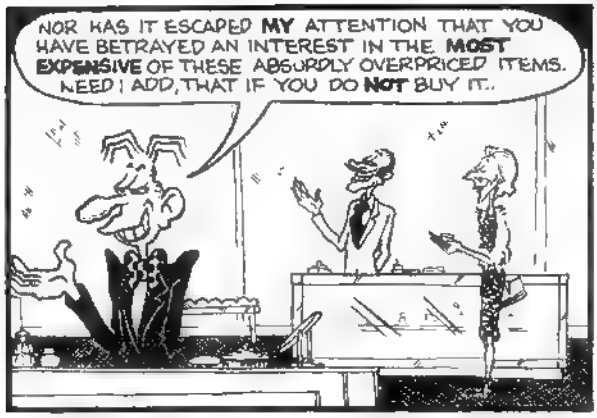
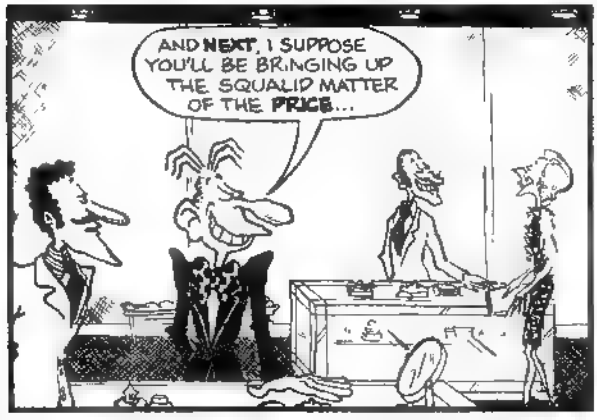
THE HUMAN WRECK







ARNOLD PECK THE HUMAN WRECK

"A MODERN MYSTERY"

WHY WOULD THE COMMISSIONER SEND FOR ME AT **THIS** STRANGE HOUR?

WRECKMAN! ARE YOU SURE YOU WEREN'T FOLLOWED?

BY THE WAY... HE'S NOT A **COMMISSIONER OF ANYTHING**. HE'S SPECIAL ASSISTANT FOR INTERNAL **SECURITY**...

GOOD EVENING COMMISSIONER... YOU HAD ON THE **WRECKSIGNAL?**

YES. BUT I'M **NOT** A. OH, NEVER MIND, WRECKMAN... WOULDN'T YOU HAVE BEEN BETTER OFF TAKING AN **ELEVATOR?**

LET ME BE **BLUNT**, WRECKMAN... WE HAVE A **MAJOR** THREAT TO NATIONAL [redacted] PITE OUR EFFORTS, **SOME** [redacted] HAS LEAKED OUT YOU'VE SEEN THIS **NEWS ITEM?**

MYSTERIES

The Midnight Marauder

Since last May more than 100 cattle have been found dead and gruesomely mutilated in Nebraska, Kansas and Iowa. On John Sunderman's farm outside Madison, Neb., a cow was killed with a blunt instrument last June and her udder and sexual organs were cut off. When a veterinarian examined the corpse, he found that all of the animal's blood had been drained. On the nearby ranch of Vern Stringfield, a month-old bull calf was clubbed to death. Its blood was drained off, too, and someone cut a hole in the calf's side, removing the intestines.

Rumor and anxiety have produced a host of unproved theories to explain the bizarre events. Many people suggest that devotees of witchcraft may have done the foul deeds. A few residents report sighting strange creatures resembling bears and gorillas, and at least one farmer claims that a shiny UFO [illegible]

"SNOUTS, LIPS, EYES WERE REMOVED WITH SURGICAL PRECISION..." **YUK!** COMMISSIONER THIS IS **DISGUSTING!**

BIGGER... IT'S **BIGGER** THAN DISGUSTING, WRECKMAN! THESE INCIDENTS ARE **INCREASING** ALL THE TIME!! IF I TOLD YOU THE **TOTAL** EXTENT OF IT... YOU WOULD BE **SHOCKED!**

IF THIS TREND CONTINUES UNCHECKED I FORESEE ONLY [redacted] TOTALLY **HORRIFYING** CONSEQUENCES!

REMEMBER... THIS IS AN **ELECTION** YEAR!

THIS **IS A SERIOUS** MATTER, COMMISSIONER! THIS IS A JOB FOR THE **MAN OF PUTTY!!**

USING MY SPECIAL **'WRECK POWERS'**, I WILL **FLY** IMMEDIATELY TO THE SCENE AND GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS **HIDEOUS MESS**, COMMISSIONER!

YES... YES... YES... WELL, **GOOD LUCK** TO YOU WRECKMAN, AND HAVE A NICE **DAY!**

SHORTLY.. SOME MILES AWAY.

LOOK! UP IN THE SKY! IT'S A BIRD! IT'S A PLANE! IT'S... NO, IT'S A PLANE...

THAT IS A PLANE!

YIPPEE! YIPPEE!! IT'S THE WRECKMAN! HERE TO SAVE US POOR, HALF CRAZED TERRIFIED FARMERS!!

VERY PLEASANT FLIGHT.

...AND ALSO TO GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS HIDEOUS MESS

NO...WAIT... IT'S A COW!

YOU'LL LURE THE FIENDS IN, THEN OVERPOWER THEM? THAT'S ABSURD ON THE FACE OF IT! BUT, STILL... GOOD LUCK TO YOU WRECKMAN, AND ETC. ETC.

THANK YOU, COMMISSIONER

I'M A FARMER.

WELL...THERE GOES A TRUE SOLDIER OF FORTUNE

MOOOOO!

MOOOO!

AAAAAAAEEE!!

THAT'S 86 THIS WEEK ALONE.

WRECKMAN!

IGNORE THESE SUPERFICIAL WOUNDS, GENTLEMEN... THE FIENDS MANAGED TO ESCAPE... BUT NOT BEFORE THEY LEFT BEHIND THIS!!

.... A RUBBER CLOWNS' NOSE?

REALLY? I THOUGHT IT WAS A BALL... OR MAYBE A PLASTIC TOMATO.

AND IT HAS THE NAME OF A NOVELTY SHOP ON IT! A NOVELTY SHOP IN... IN... CHICAGO!

CHICAGO??! (GROAN) CALL AN AMBULANCE!

...

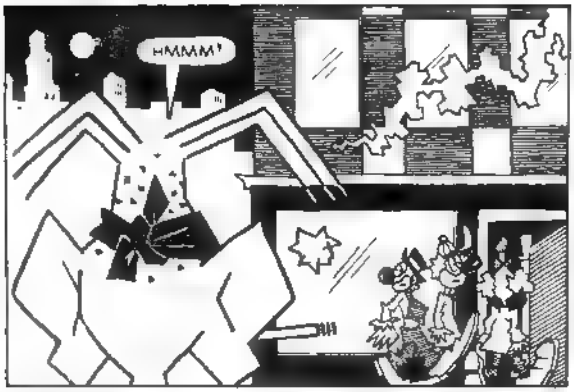
WELL (MOAN) GUESS THERE ARE MORE BORING THINGS THAN BEING IN CHICAGO. - OF COURSE THAT'S JUST A GUESS...

NOBODYS COME OUT OF THAT STORE IN HOURS... EXCEPT FOR THAT GROUP OF...

JOKES GAGS

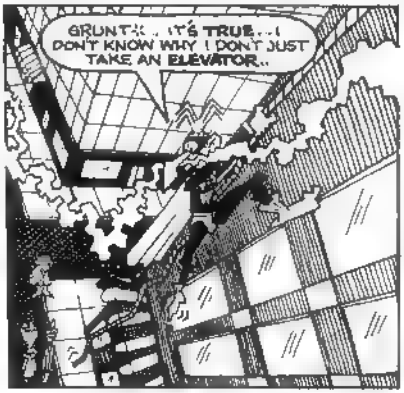
CLOWNS!

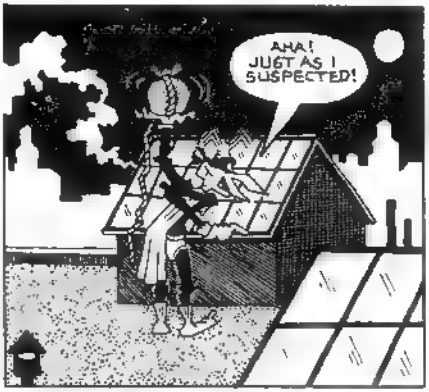
JOKES GAGS

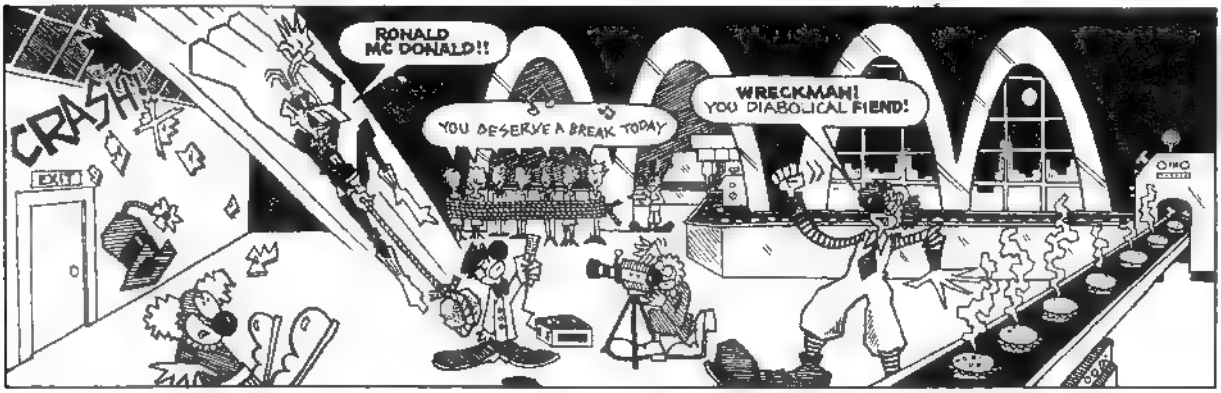

HMMM!

WAIT! WHAT'S THIS? MY SUPER WRECKSMELL IS PICKING UP A HAUNTINGLY FAMILIAR AND WELL-LOVED AROMA!
SNORK!!

THOSE CLOWNS WILL JUST HAVE TO WAIT. I MUST GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS WONDERFUL, MYSTERIOUS SMELL!

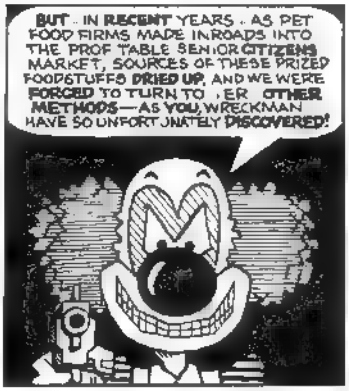

GRUNT!! . . IT'S TRUE. . . I DON'T KNOW WHY I DON'T JUST TAKE AN ELEVATOR..


AHA! JUST AS I SUSPECTED!


CRASH!
EXIT
RONALD MC DONALD!!
YOU DESERVE A BREAK TODAY
WRECKMAN! YOU DIABOLICAL FIEND!

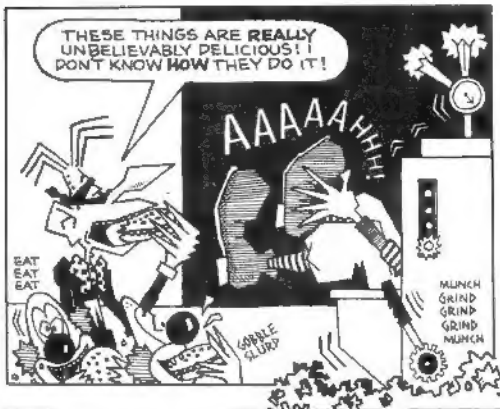
HA HA HA HA HA! SO, WRECKMAN... YOU'VE BLUNDERED ONTO OUR LITTLE SECRET
SECRET? WHAT SECRET? I JUST CAME IN FOR A HAMBURGER

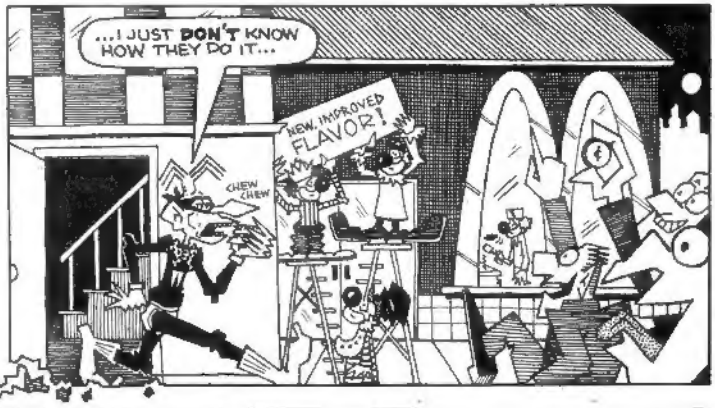
WHAT SECRET? I'LL TELL YOU! FOR YEARS, WE AT McDONALDS HAVE PRIDED OURSELVES ON OUR ABILITY TO OBTAIN ONLY THE CHEAPEST TRASH MEAT! PEOPLE CAME TO DEPEND ON IT... IT GAVE OUR PRODUCT ITS UNIQUE, IRRESISTABLE FLAVOR!
I SEE
NGH!


BUT - IN RECENT YEARS - AS PET FOOD FIRMS MADE INROADS INTO THE PROF TABLE SENIOR CITIZENS MARKET, SOURCES OF THESE PRIZED FOODSTUFFS DRIED UP, AND WE WERE FORCED TO TURN TO , ER OTHER METHODS — AS YOU, WRECKMAN HAVE SO UNFORTUNATELY DISCOVERED!

ALL RIGHT, McDONALD, I'VE HEARD ENOUGH! HOLD IT RIGHT THERE!
GASP! PLEASE!! NOT THE BIG MAC!!

I SAID FREEZE!!
DON'T MAKE ME EAT IT! I'LL DO ANYTHING YOU WANT... EH?...


THESE THINGS ARE REALLY UNBELIEVABLY DELICIOUS! I DON'T KNOW HOW THEY DO IT!
AAAAAHHH!
EAT EAT EAT
GABBLE GURP
MUNCH GRIND GRIND GRIND MUNCH


...I JUST DON'T KNOW HOW THEY DO IT...
NEW, IMPROVED FLAVOR!
CHEW CHEW

HAH!! HA, HA!

ARNOLD, WAS THAT STORY TRUE, OR ARE YOU JUST BULLSHITTING US?

I THINK YOU MADE THAT UP! YOU PROMISED TO READ US SPIDERMAN! YOU SAID YOU WERE GOING TO!
WAHHH! I WANT A BIG MAC!! BLEAHHHHH!!
THAT WAS REALLY A SHITTY STORY, ARNOLD...
ARNOLD, YOU'RE NOT BEING MEAN TO THE CHILDREN, ARE YOU?
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WILLY MURPHY DIED IN SAN FRANCISCO ON MARCH 2, 1976 FROM A SEVERE CASE OF PNEUMONIA. WILLY WAS THIRTY-NINE YEARS OLD AT THE TIME OF HIS DEATH AND MANY OF HIS FELLOW CARTOONISTS FELT HE WAS JUST REACHING THE PEAK OF HIS ABILITIES. HIS LAST TWO YEARS WERE SPENT DRAWING SOLELY FOR PUBLICATION AND HIS WORK HAS APPEARED MOST RECENTLY IN ARCADE AND THE NATIONAL LAMPOON. AT THE TIME OF HIS DEATH HE WAS ALSO WORKING ON GIVE ME LIBERTY. A REVISED HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

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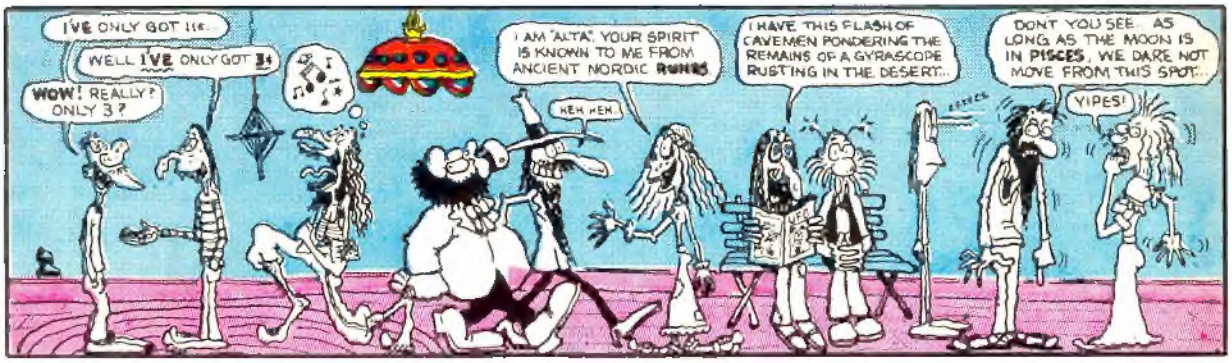
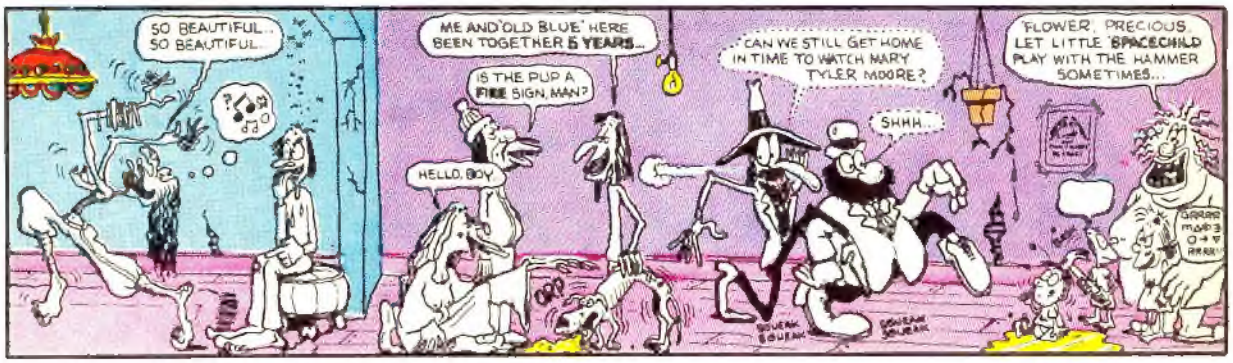
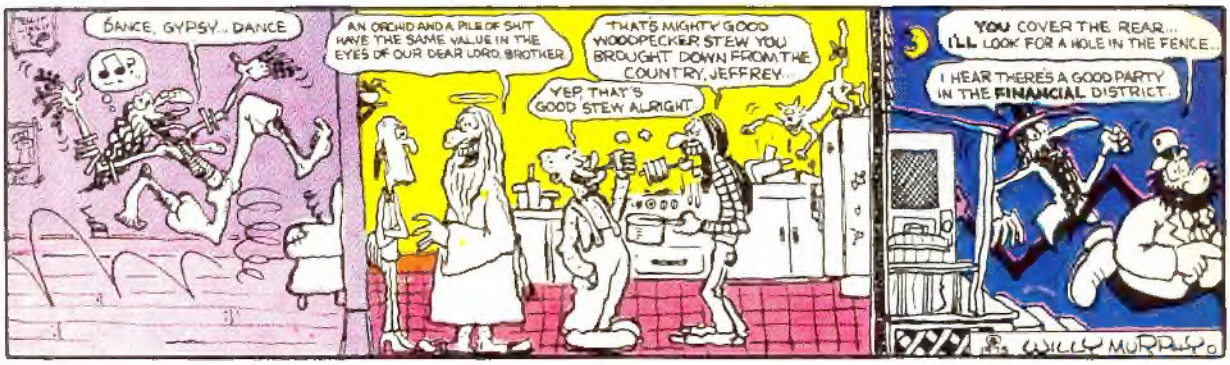
"RETURN WITH US NOW TO THOSE THRILLING DAYS OF YESTERYEAR...."







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